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SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM KISSINGER TO PARK

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM SECRETARY
KISSINGER TO PRESIDENT PARK

BEGIN QUOTE:

DEAR MR PRESIDENT:

ON BEHALF OF PRESIDENT FORD, I WISH TO CONVEY OUR
SATISFACTION, WHICH I KNOW YOU SHARE, OVER THE SUCCESS-
FUL OUTCOME OF OUR JOINT OPERATION IN THE JOINT SECU-
RITY AREA.

WE ARE MOST GRATIFIED THAT FROM THE TIME OF THE NORTH
KOREAN ASSAULT, WE HAVE HAD THE BENEFIT OF YOUR VIEWS
AND YOUR RESOLUTE SUPPORT FOR THE FIRM ACTIONS
NECESSARY TO DEAL WITH SUCH A CHALLENGE.

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THIS OPERATION ILLUSTRATES THE HIGH PROFESSIONALISM
OF OUR TWO FORCES AND THE CLOSE COOPERATION BETWEEN
THEM. WE HOPE YOU WILL CONVEY OUR ADMIRATION AND
PERSONAL APPRECIATION TO ALL THE PERSONNEL ON YOUR

SIDE WHO WERE INVOLVED IN PLANNING OR EXECUTING
THIS ACTION.

SINCERELY,
HENRY A. KISSINGER

END QUOTE.

2. DEPARTMENT DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT OF
MESSAGE

3. SIGNED ORIGINAL WILL NOT REPEAT NOT BE SENT.

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